

Investigate

Have you ever wondered how we perceive, learn, and solve problems? What causes one individual to adapt to stress in our society and another to develop deviant, antisocial behavior? How do people change from infancy to adulthood based on biological, familial, cultural and social influences?

Cognitive sciences faculty and students investigate how the human mind works in order to understand human behavior.

Innovate

Innovative research focuses on areas of attention, information processing, memory, language, hearing, vision and decision making.

Studies explore how changes in the brain's neurons may lead to Alzheimer's, which brain responses may contribute to delayed language development in children with autism, and how robots may improve our ability to understand brain responses to feelings.

Impact

More than 1000 undergrads, 51 grads and 23 faculty are involved in cognitive sciences programs at UCI. Their outreach efforts promote school readiness through home-based language and literacy training. Their research findings impact our understanding of diseases and disorders including Alzheimer's, schizophrenia and autism, to name a few.

Make a Difference

A gift to cognitive sciences has the power to transform individuals and communities and truly make a difference. Contact us today or visit us online at www.socsci.uci.edu to learn how past donations have helped fund our future leaders.

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